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2 Abstract of the Disclosure 3 An illumination and modulation device is described, as well as a method for 4 5 modulating the exposure intensity in the integrating digital screen imaging system 6 (IDSI), comprising a light source, a light modulator, and various devices. The object of the invention is to present a device and a method with which the 7 8 exposure quality can be optimized using simple means. The object on which the 9 invention is based is attained by the fact that the device comprises at least one 10 device for varying the number of cells of the light modulator used to expose the photosensitive material or by the fact that, in the method according to the <del>1</del>1invention, the number of cells of the light modulator used to expose the 12 13 photosensitive material can be varied. 14 15 16